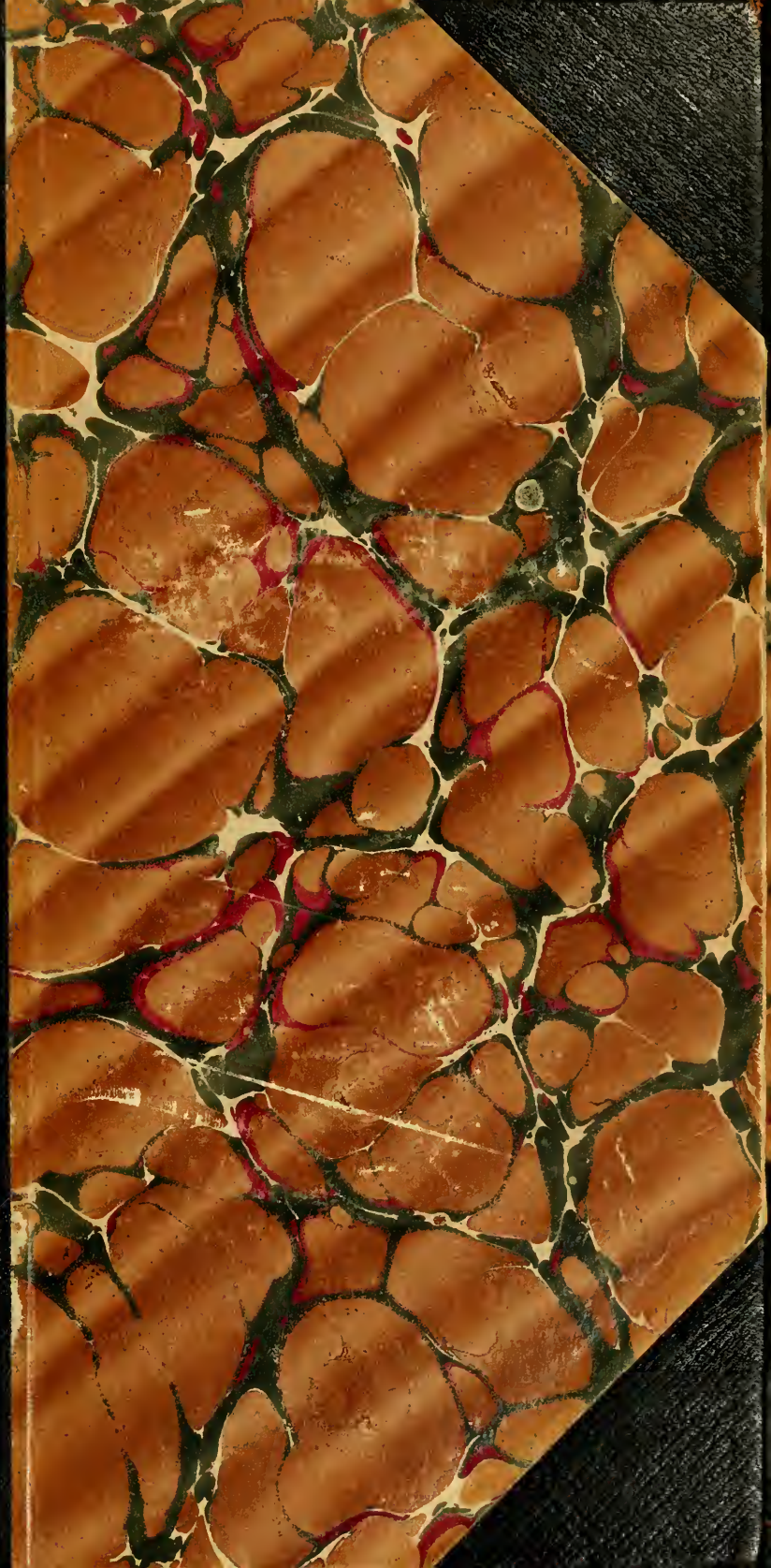

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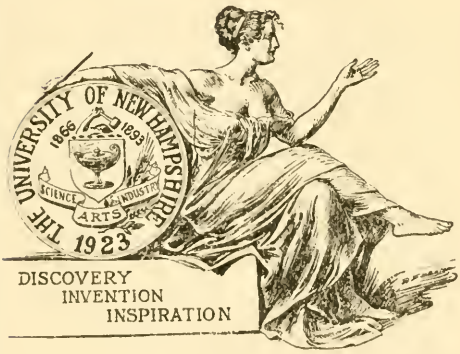

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Selectmen, Town Treasurer, School Treasurer,
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of the

TOWN OF DURHAM

for the

Financial Year Ending January 31, 1922

with the

Vital Statistics for 1921 as Prepared by the
Town Clerk

DOVER, N. H.
CHARLES F. WHITEHOUSE
1922

How the Average Dollar of the Town of Durham Was Spent for the Years Ending Jan. 31, 1921 and 1922.

ITEMS	1921	1922	AVERAGE FOR THE STATE, 1921
General government,	$ .030	$.040	$ .060
Protection of persons and property,	.020	.012	.075
Health,	.002	.005	.015
Highway maintenance,	.195	.251	.204
Highway construction, *	.162	.056	.044
Libraries,	.003	.003	.009
Patriotic purposes, (Memorial tablet)	.014	.001	.006
Damages and legal services, †	.122		.003
Interest,	.010	.018	.034
Indebtedness,	.033	.038	.047
State tax,	.106	.177	.115
County tax,	.059	.070	.062
Schools,	.244	.329	.257
Precincts,			.009
Recreation,			.008
Charity,			.008
Sidewalks, sewers, etc.,			.044
	$1.00	$1.00	$1.00

* Federal aid road fund carried over.

† Rye case.

TOWN OFFICERS, 1921.

SELECTMEN

JAMES S. CHAMBERLIN, Term expires March, 1924
OREN V. HENDERSON, Term expires March, 1923
SAMUEL H. CRAIG, Term expires March, 1922

CLERK

CHARLES WENTWORTH

TREASURER

WALTER S. EDGERLY

TAX COLLECTOR

VELLA M. SMART

AUDITORS

RALPH D. PAINE HORACE L. HOWES

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

CHARLES H. PETTEE, Term expires March, 1924
FREDERICK W. TAYLOR, Term expires March, 1923
LYNDE SULLIVAN, Term expires March, 1922

REPRESENTATIVE TO THE GENERAL COURT

MARK E. WILLEY

MODERATOR

ARIOCH W. GRIFFITHS

SUPERVISORS OF CHECK LIST

CHARLES A. SMART WILLARD P. LEWIS
GEORGE A. LANGMAID

POLICE OFFICER

WILLIAM H. BURROWS

HEALTH OFFICER

DR. A. E. GRANT

FIRE WARDEN

KARL W. WOODWARD

SCHOOL BOARD

GERTRUDE EMERSON, Term expires March, 1922
CHARLES WENTWORTH, Term expires March, 1923
LYMAN J. BATCHELDER, Term expires March, 1924

SUPERINTENDENT

JUSTIN O. WELLMAN
Resigned September 1, 1921
O. R. McCOY

LIBRARIAN

WILLARD P. LEWIS

WARRANT FOR AND ACTION OF TOWN MEETING HELD MARCH 8, 1921.

One Hundred Ninetieth Annual Meeting.

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Durham, County of Strafford and State of New Hampshire, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Durham on Tuesday, the eighth day of March, A. D. 1921, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To bring in your ballots upon each of the questions, submitted by the Convention to Revise the Constitution, relative to the amendments proposed by said Convention at a session held on January 28, 1921.

2. To choose a Town Clerk, three Selectmen (one for three years, one for two years, and one for one year), a Town Treasurer, a Collector of Taxes, two Auditors, and all other Town Officers for the ensuing year.

2. Action: Elected Charles Wentworth, Town Clerk; James S. Chamberlin, Selectman for three years, Oren V. Henderson, Selectman for two years and Samuel H. Craig, Selectman for one year; Walter S. Edgerly, Town Treasurer; Vella M. Smart, Tax Collector; Ralph D. Paine and Horace M. Howes, Auditors.

3. To select a Trustee of Trust Funds for a term of three years.

3. Action: Charles H. Pattee elected.

4. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to obtain State Aid on the following:

(1) State Aid Construction;
(2) State Aid Maintenance.

4. Action: (1) Voted to raise $1,318 50
(2) Voted to raise $1,230 00

5. To see if the town will vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 117, Laws of 1917, on a section of the New Hampshire College Road, so called, and appropriate, or set aside from the amount raised for highway work, the sum of $350.00 for this purpose.

5. Action: Voted to raise $350.00.

6. To raise and appropriate funds for the repair of Town highways and bridges.

6. Action: Voted to raise $3,200.00.

7. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for Current Maintenance Expenses. (See Budget.)

7. Action: Voted the following:

1	*Deficit*	*$1,756 73*
2	*Town officers' salaries*	*624 00*
3	*Town officers' expenses*	*350 00*
4	*Elections and registration*	*200 00*
5	*Town hall—care and supplies*	*50 00*
6	*Police department*	*20 00*
7	*Fire department*	*25 00*
8	*White pine blister ext.*	*150 00*
9	*Dog damage*	*100 00*
10	*Health department*	*50 00*
11	*Vital statistics*	*5 00*
12	*Snow bills*	*500 00*

13	*Street lighting*	*$1,200 00*
14	*Library*	*100 00*
15	*Soldiers' aid*	*75 00*
16	*Interest*	*295 00*
17	*State tax*	*1,800 00*
18	*County tax*	*2,000 00*
		$9,300 73

8. To see if the Town will vote to furnish surety bonds for town officers, as required.

8. Action: Voted yes.

9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or hire a sum of money not to exceed $3,500.00 for the purchase of necessary road building equipment; and to authorize the Selectmen to sell or exchange that now on hand and apply the proceeds toward the purchase of something more useful.

9. Action: Voted to adopt the article as written.

10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or hire a sum of money not to exceed $1,500.00 towards the purchase of a Motor Chemical Fire Engine, on condition that New Hampshire State College contributes a like amount.

10. Action: Article adopted as written.

11. To authorize the Selectmen to raise by taxation $1,000.00 to apply against the Rye case indebtedness, the balance of $2,900.00 to be provided for by three serial notes—one for $1,000.00 payable December 15, 1922, one for $1,000.00 payable December 15, 1923, and one for $900.00 payable December 15, 1924.

11. Action: Voted to authorize.

12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and ap-

propriate the sum of $40.00 to cover deficit of Memorial Tablet Fund. (By request of Memorial Committee.)

12. Action: Voted no.

13. To see if the Town will vote to install three electric lights on the Bagdad road. (By request of A. D. Littlehale and eleven others.)

13. Action: Voted yes.

14. To see if the Town will vote to install two electric lights on the Newmarket road. (By request of Walter H. Flanders and seventeen others.)

14. Action: Voted yes.

15. To see if the Town will vote to install one electric light on the street leading from the Newmarket road to the village school house.

15. Action: Voted yes.

16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $100.00 toward the expenses of the Public Health Nurse. (By request of Mrs. Jabez H. Stevens and eleven others.)

16. Action: Voted yes.

17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $25.00 for the care of the cemetery located adjacent to the Frost property, on the Newmarket road, and the school house. (By request of W. S. Edgerly and twelve others.)

17. Action: Voted yes.

18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $30.00 for the purchase of tools for the purpose of fighting forest fires. (By request of the Fire Warden.)

18. Action: Voted yes.

19. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow necessary moneys in anticipation of taxes.

19. Action: Voted yes.

20. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to make an agreement with the Boston & Maine Railroad whereby the Town shall undertake to maintain and keep in repair for a period of twenty years the approaches to the three highway bridges, known as Bennett Road Bridge, otherwise known as Railroad Bridge No. A-63; Mill Dam Road Bridge, otherwise known as Railroad Bridge No. A-65; and Durham Turnpike Bridge, otherwise known as Railroad Bridge No. B-66, in consideration for the gravel on a certain section of railroad premises about three miles west of Durham Station on Packers Falls road, or to see what the Town will do about it.

20. Action: Voted to authorize contract.

21. To see what salary the Selectmen shall receive, under the new law, and to raise and appropriate money therefor. (By request of Charles Wentworth and eleven other voters.)

21. Action: Voted a salary of $100.00 each and $25.00 additional to the Clerk of the Board.

22. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to enter into a term contract with the Rockingham County Light & Power Company, to furnish street lights.

22. Action: Voted to authorize contract.

23. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to take such action as may be necessary or

expedient, to determine whether the trust created by the bequest of George Ffrost, to the Town of Durham in 1879 for the purpose of creating a temperance health insurance company, has failed for any cause whatsoever, and if so, to take any action necessary to determine to what purpose the income of said fund shall be applied. (By request.)

23. Action: Voted no.

24. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to transfer to the State Historical Society, at Concord, for safe keeping, all town records of historical value.

24. Action: Voted to authorize transfer.

25. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a committee of three to investigate and recommend a location for a town cemetery and report at the next Town Meeting their recommendations in reference to such location and the price thereof. Said committee to have power to hold public hearings in reference to the same; said committee to act without any expense to the Town. (By request of Lynde Sullivan and twelve others.)

25. Action: Voted to appoint Trustees of Trust Funds.

26. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

26. What actions: A committee composed of Mrs. C. L. Simmers, Charles Wentworth and David H. Fogg, was appointed to iuvestigate the cost of a Memorial Tablet for the veterans of the Civil and Spanish-American Wars.

Given under our hands and seal, this twenty-first day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

JAMES S. CHAMBERLIN,
OREN V. HENDERSON,
EARLE E. WATSON,
Selectmen of Durham.

WARRANT FOR THE ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-FIRST ANNUAL TOWN MEETING.

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Durham, County of Strafford and State of New Hampshire, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Durham on Tuesday, the fourteenth day of March, A. D. 1922, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Town Clerk, one Selectman for a term of three years, a Town Treasurer, a Collector of Taxes, two Auditors, and all other Town Officers for the ensuing year.

2. To select a Trustee of Trust Funds for a term of three years.

3. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to obtain State Aid on the following:

(1) State Aid Construction; (See budget.)

(2) State Aid Maintenance; (See budget.)

4. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 117, Laws of 1917, on a section of the New Hampshire College Road, so called, and appropriate, or set aside from the amount raised for highway work, the sum of $400.00 for this purpose.

5. To raise and appropriate funds for the repair of Town highways and bridges. (See budget.)

6. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for Current Maintenance Expenses. (See budget.)

7. To see what sums of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate towards the payment of outstanding serial notes.

8. To see if the Town will vote to furnish surety bonds for town officers as required by law.

9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $200.00 toward the expenses of the Public Health Nurse.

10. To see if the Town will vote to install three (3) electric lights on the Mill Road between the residences of Geo. Hoitt and H. B. Stevens. (By request of F. S. Daniels and requisite number of others.)

11. To see if the Town desires a district supervisory system of highways. Surveyors to be appointed by the Selectmen. (By request of Mell Crouse and requisite number of others.)

12. To see what action the Town desires to take relative to the observance of an Old Home Day, and the making of suitable preparation for the observance in 1923, of the three hundredth anniversary of the settlement of the State.

13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the extermination of White Pine Blister Rust.

14. To see if the Town will vote to adopt Chapter 79, of the Public Statutes and Session Laws, Jan. 1st, 1901, in accordance with Section 10, of said Chapter. (By request of Lynde Sullivan and requisite number of others.)

15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $370.00 and hire the sum of $250.00 for the purpose of building a granolithic walk abutting the property now owned by Mary H. and Joseph E. Jennings, the property now owned by Ray E. Shaw, the property now owned by John W. Grant and the property now owned by Etta Schoonmaker. (By request of Lynde Sullivan and requisite number of others.)

16. To see if the Town will vote to erect a memorial tablet to bear the names of the Durham soldiers of the Civil and Spanish-American wars, and to raise and appropriate money therefor. (By request of Memorial Committee.)

17. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen, together with the Trustees of Trust Funds, to purchase a suitable site for a Town Cemetery at a sum not to exceed $1500.00, and to authorize them to procure a survey of such site, to formulate rules and regulations, and make sales of cemetery lots, utilizing the sale money, so far as necessary, for the improvement of the grounds; also to authorize the Selectmen to raise by taxation $300.00 and to borrow not to exceed $1200.00 for carrying out the purposes of this act. (By request of Cemetery Committee.)

18. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to lease the land forming a triangle at the junction of Main Street and Mill Road, for the purpose of erecting a building thereon. (By request of Geo. G. Hoitt and the requisite number of others.)

19. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this twenty-seventh day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two.

JAMES S. CHAMBERLIN,
OREN V. HENDERSON,
SAMUEL H. CRAIG,
Selectmen of Durham.

A true copy—ATTEST:

JAMES S. CHAMBERLIN,
OREN V. HENDERSON,
SAMUEL H. CRAIG,
Selectmen of Durham.

BUDGET FOR 1922.

As Prepared by Board of Selectmen.

Article 3.			Town	State
	State Aid Construction,		$1,534 50	$ 383 50
	State Aid Maintenance,		1,650 00	1,650 00
Art. 4.	Unimproved Trunk Line Maintenance,		400 00	400 00
Art. 5.	Town Maintenance—Roads, bridges, etc.,		3,500 00	
Art. 6.	Current Maintenance Expenses:			
	1 Town officers' salaries,	$ 630 00		
	2 Townofficers' expenses,	400 00		
	3 Election and registration expenses,	200 00		
	4 Care and supplies, town hall	50 00		
	5 Police Dept.,	50 00		
	6 Fire Dept.,	200 00		
	7 Health Dept.,	50 00		
	8 Vital statistics,	5 00		
	9 Dog damages,	100 00		
	10 Street lighting,	1,200 00		
	11 Snow bills,	500 00		
	12 Libraries,	100 00		

		Town	State
13 Soldiers' aid,	$ 35 00		
14 Interest,	500 00		
15 Payment of indebtedness,	2,800 00		
16 State tax,	800 00		
17 County tax,	2,039 72		
		$9,659 72	
Total Town budget,		$16,744 22	$2,433 50

SUMMARY OF INVENTORIES—APRIL 1.

Comparative List for 1920 and 1921.

	1920		1921	
	No.	Value	No.	Value
Lands and buildings	. . .	$741,580	. . .	$880,970
Horses	200	26,855	205	28,525
Mules	. . .	. . . . .	. . .	. . . . .
Oxen	8	1,350	6	800
Cows	321	25,785	384	27,215
Other Neat stock	72	3,930	96	4,555
Sheep	134	1,340	91	910
Hogs	28	1,110	47	815
Fowls	1338	2,007	1527	2,290
Carriages	. . .	400	. . .	350
Automobiles	. . .	. . . . .	. . .	. . . . .
Portable Mills	2	1,300	. . .	2,800
Boats and launches	2	350	2	350
Wood and lumber	. . .	20,028	. .	33,415
Stock in public funds	. . .	500	. . .	500
Stock in National Banks	. . .	2,925	. . .	4,425
Money and notes	. . .	41,858	. . .	27,649
Stock in trade	. . .	9,200	. . .	8,350
Total		$880,518		$1,023,919
Polls	269	*$1,245	549	†$2,621
Total Property Tax		$22,088.95		$23,550.14
Rate of taxation		$2.50		$2.30

* 50 Polls at $3.00
219 Polls at 5.00

† 62 Polls at $3.00
487 Polls at 5.00

FINANCIAL REPORT

of the Town of Durham, for the Year ending January 31, 1922.

Assets.

Cash in hands of treasurer,	$1,472 60	
Total assets,		$1,472 60
Excess of liabilities over assets (net debt),		6,327 40
Grand total,		$7,800 00

Liabilities.

Accounts owed by the town (none)		
Long term notes outstanding:		
1 Newmarket Nat. Bank—Rye case,	$2,900 00	
2 Strafford Nat. Bank—truck,	2,500 00	
3 A. E. Grant—truck,	1,000 00	
4 A. E. Grant—chemical truck,	1,400 00	
		$7,800 00
Net debt of Town, January 31, 1921,		$5,656 73
Net debt of Town, January 31, 1922,		6,327 40
Increase of debt,		$670 67

LIST OF TOWN PROPERTY.

Town hall:
  Furniture and equipment
Wharf land
Highway department:
  1 Tractor
  1 Air compressor
  1 Storage shed
  1 Snow plow
  4 Wagons
  8 Drags
  1 Road machine
  Shovels, rakes and picks
Fire extinguishers
Chemical and hose cart
1 White truck
One-half interest in fire chemical engine

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK, 1921.

		Amt. Received	Paid Town
Pool tables licensed,	2	$20 00	
Bowling alleys licensed,	3	30 00	
Total,		$50 00	
Less licensing fees,		2 50	
			$ 47 50

AUTO REGISTRATIONS.

Permits issued,	146	$830 19	
Paid in 1920,		143 96	
			686 23

DOG LICENSES.

Male dogs licensed,	52		
Female dogs licensed,	13		
Total,	65	$167 66	
Fees at .20 each,	$13 00		
Postage, printing and incidental expenses,	6 00		
		19 00	
			148 66

TOWN HISTORY.

Cash on hand last Report,	$14 42	
Received from sale of Histories,	30 00	
		$44 42

Expended—Insurance,	$14 30		
Postage,	20		
		$14 50	
		$29 92	
Cash in bank,		14 42	
			$15 50
Total paid Town,			$897 89

CHARLES WENTWORTH,

Town Clerk.

REPORT OF TREASURER

For the Year ending January 31, 1922.

Receipts.

Cash on hand,	$ 1,155 57
Vella M. Smart, tax collector, list 1921,	26,288 44
Vella M. Smart, tax collector, list 1921,	4 81
Hired of Strafford National Bank,	7,700 00
Hired of A. E. Grant,	2,400 00
New Hampshire College, purchase of wagons,	100 00
New Hampshire College, use of compressor,	265 00
New Hampshire College, oil barrels burned,	20 00
D. B. Ninde, oil barrels,	4 00
John W. Plummer, State Treas., forest fire rebate,	10 10
John W. Plummer, State Treas., federal aid,	964 20
John W. Plummer, State Treas., state aid construction,	263 24
John W. Plummer, State Treas., state aid maintenance,	344 96
John W. Plummer, State Treas., unimproved trunk line,	343 95
John W. Plummer, State Treas., railroad tax,	1,428 59
John W. Plummer, State Treas., savings bank tax,	1,065 55
J. S. Chamberlin, tarvia,	34 44
Town of Newmarket, use of compressor,	170 00
George F. Hardy, use of compressor,	48 00
F. W. Taylor, use of compressor,	13 00
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., labor,	4 50
Fred T. Murphy, tarvia, etc.,	79 10

J. C. Sawyer, tar barrels,	$ 6 00
Boston & Maine R. R., refund,	5 53
Trustees of trust fund, ½ fire at Doe farm,	15 68
Matthew Joblinski, bee fire at Durham Point,	26 10
J. C. Kendall, Treas., use of compressor,	72 50
Charles Wentworth, auto permits,	686 23
Charles Wentworth, pool table licenses,	19 00
Charles Wentworth, bowling alley licenses,	28 50
Charles Wentworth, dog licenses,	148 66
Charles Wentworth, sale of histories,	15 50
	$43,731 15
Paid out on selectmen's orders,	42,258 55
Cash on hand,	$1,472 60

WALTER S. EDGERLY,

Treasurer.

REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

For the Year Ending January 31, 1922.

Debit.

To 1921 property tax list,		$23,667 44
To 1921 poll tax list,		2,621 00
487 at $5.00,	$2,435 00	
62 at 3.00,	186 00	
	$2,621 00	
To 1921 Interest,		4 81
		$26,293 25

Credit.

By cash paid treasurer,	$26,196 81
By rebate as per appended list,	96 44
	$26,293 25

Rebate, 1921.

Brackett & McCarty,	$17 20
Mrs. Emma G. Pendergast,	17 13
Arthur Terri,	11 50
Daisy D. Williamson,	16 10
Mary Dame,	2 30
Mike Ross,	32 21
Total,	$96 44

VELLA M. SMART,
Collector.

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS.

CURRENT REVENUE.

From Local Taxes:			
	Property taxes committed to collector, 1921,	$23,667 44	
	Less discounts and abatements, 1921,	96 44	
		$23,571 00	
1	Property taxes, current year, actually collected,		$23,571 00
2	Poll taxes, current year, actually collected, 62 at $3.00,		186 00
3	Poll taxes, current year, actually collected, 487 at $5.00,		2,435 00
	Total of above collections,		$26,192 00
From State:			
5	For Highways,		
	(a) For state aid maintenance,		$344 96
	(b) For state aid construction,		122 24
	(c) For trunk line maintenance,		343 95
7	Railroad tax,		1,428 59
8	Savings bank tax,		1,065 55
11	Fighting forest fires,		10 10
From Local Sources Except Taxes:			
15	Dog licenses,		148 66
16	Business licenses and permits (pool and alleys,)		47 50
19	Interest received on taxes,		4 81

23	Income from departments,		$879 35
25	Permits for the registration of motor vehicles,		686 23
Receipts Other than Current Revenue:			
27	Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year,	$5,200 00	
28	Long term notes during year,	4,900 00	
32	Refunds,	96 44	
35	State HighwayDept., deficit, 1920,	1,105 20	
	Total receipts other than current rvenue,		$11,301 64
	Total receipts from all sources,		$42,575 58
	Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1921,		1,155 57
	Grand total,		$43,731 15

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS.

CURRENT MAINTENANCE EXPENSES.

General Government:		
1	Town officers' salaries,	$629 00
2	Town officers' expenses,	398 58
3	Election and registration expenses,	48 56
5	Town hall expenses,	16 60
Protection of Persons and Property:		
6	Police department,	40 00
7	Fire department, including forest fires,	194 75
8	Pine blister extermination,	150 00
10	Damage by dogs,	38 00
Health:		
11	Health department,	135 17
12	Vital statistics,	4 25
Highways and Bridges:		
14	State aid maintenance,	2,083 80
15	Trunk line maintenance,	687 89
16a	Town maintenance, snow bills,	300 18
16b	Town maintenance,	3,484 76
17	Street lighting,	1,108 25
Education:		
19	Library,	100 00
Patriotic Purposes:		
22	Soldiers' memorial,	7 00
23	Soldiers' aid,	31 43

Miscellaneous:		
30	Abatements and refunds,	$349 69
Interest:		
32	Temporary loans, anticipation of taxes,	146 61
33	Long term notes,	328 79
Highway Construction and Improvements:		
36	State aid construction,	1,603 18
43	New equipment,	5,100 00
Indebtedness Payments:		
44	Temporary loans,	5,200 00
45	Long term notes,	1,000 00
Payment to Other Government Divisions:		
50	Taxes paid to state,	4,693 50
51	Taxes paid to county,	1,858 31
53	School district,	12,520 25
	Total payment for all purposes,	$42,258 55

DETAIL OF RECEIPTS.

Detail 1. Tax Collector.

May	3, 1921,		$ 500 00
	7,		300 00
	13,		400 00
	20,		200 00
June	6,		200 00
	16,		725 00
July	1,		895 00
	12,		900 00
Aug.	6,		675 00
	22,		325 00
Sept.	13,		750 00
	30,		925 00
Oct.	10,		374 20
	17,		425 00
	22,		1,050 01
	29,		1,400 78
Nov.	9,		1,015 44
	18,		1,076 47
	27,		1,232 60
Dec.	1,		6,109 75
	2,		1,850 84
	8,		2,325 10
	17,		1,575 09
Jan.	31, 1922,		1,058 16
		Total,	$26,288 44

Detail 2. State Aid Construction.

Jan.	14, 1922	State Treasurer,	$122 24

Detail 3.		**State Aid Maintenance.**	
Oct.	29, 1921	State Treasurer,	$100 00
Jan.	14, 1922	State Treasurer,	244 96
		Total,	$344 96
Detail 4.		**Unimproved Trunk Line Highway Maintenance.**	
Jan.	14, 1922	State Treasurer,	$343 95
Detail 5.		**Fighting Forest Fires.**	
Oct.	29, 1921	State Treasurer,	10 10
Detail 6.		**State Tax Rebates.**	
Dec.	3, 1921	State Treasurer, railroad tax,	1,428 59
	3,	State Treasurer, savings bank tax,	1,065 55
		Total,	$2,494 14
Detail 7.		**Dog Licenses.**	
Oct.	6, 1921	Town Clerk,	$81 00
Jan.	31, 1922	Town Clerk,	67 66
		Total,	$148 66
Detail 8.		**Automobile Registration Permits.**	
Apr.	16, 1921	Town Clerk, for 1921,	$292 43
June	3,	Town Clerk, for 1921,	209 88
Aug.	2,	Town Clerk, for 1921,	106 26
Oct.	6,	Town Clerk, for 1921,	62 95
Jan.	31, 1922	Town Clerk, for 1921,	14 71
		Total,	$686 23

Detail 9. Interest on Taxes.

Jan.	31, 1922	Tax Collector,	$4 81

Detail 10. Miscellaneous.

Feb.	1, 1921	Cash on hand,	$1,155 57
June	27,	N. H. College, student damage,	20 00
July	1,	D. B. Ninde, tar barrels,	4 00
Sept.	8,	B. & M. R. R., freight rebate,	5 53
Oct.	1,	J. S. Chamberlin, tarvia,	34 44
	10,	N. H. College, use of compressor,	265 00
	10,	N. H. College, sale of wagon,	100 00
	19,	Town of Newmarket, use of compressor,	170 00
Nov.	2,	N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., labor,	4 50
	5,	F. T. Murphy, tarvia,	79 10
	7,	G. F. Hardy, use of compressor,	48 00
Jan.	4, 1922	J. C. Sawyer, tar barrels,	6 00
	25,	Trustees of Trust Funds, one-half expense Doe farm fires,	15 68
	28,	Mathew Joblinski, expense Durham Point fire,	26 10
	31,	F. W. Taylor, use of compressor,	13 00
	31,	J. C. Kendall, treasurer, use of compressor, athletic field,	72 50
	31,	Charles Wentworth, sale of town histories,	15 50
		Total,	$2,034 92

Detail 11. **Voted Loans**

May	3, 1921	Strafford National Bank,	$2,500 00
Jan.	4, 1922	A. E. Grant,	1,000 00
	31,	A. E. Grant,	1,400 00
		Total,	$4,900 00

Detail 12. **Loans in Anticipation of Taxes.**

Apr	9, 1921	Strafford National Bank,	$2,000 00
May	3,	Strafford National Bank,	1,200 00
June	9,	Strafford National Bank,	2,000 00
		Total,	$5,200 00

Detail 13. **State Highway Deficit.**

Sept.	3, 1921	State Treasurer, deficit, Federal No. 62,	$964 20
Oct.	18,	State Treasurer, deficit, Main Street construction,	141 00
		Total,	$1,105 20

Detail 14. **Licenses and Permits.**

Jan.	31, 1922	Town Clerk, pool table license,	$19 00
	31,	Town Clerk, bowling alley license,	28 50
		Total,	$47 50

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS.

GENERAL GOVERNMENT.

Detail 1. **Town Officers' Salaries.**

1922				
Jan.	3,	V. 475	A. E. Grant, health officer,	$ 25 00
	31,	495	Jas. S. Chamberlin, selectman,	100 00
	31,	496	Sam'l H. Craig, selectman,	100 00
	31,	497	Oren V. Henderson, selectman,	125 00
	31,	498	W. S. Edgerly, treasurer,	50 00
	31,	506	Vella M. Smart, tax collector,	225 00
	31,	510	R. D. Paine, auditor,	2 00
	31,	511	H. L. Howes, auditor,	2 00
			Total,	$629 00

Detail 2. **Town Officers' Expenses.**

1921				
Mar.	18,	V. 298	Samuel Runlett, postage,	5 00
Apr.	7,	306	E. C. Eastman & Co., supplies,	6 10
	9,	311	Marshall Press, printing 1920 town reports,	200 90
	29,	327	Strafford National Bank, safe deposit box,	10 00
May	7,	336	Chas. F. Whitehouse, printing,	13 00
	25,	346	E. C. Eastman & Co., tax books,	5 06

May 27,	V. 349	Chas. Wentworth, surety bonds,	$ 21 00
Sept. 12,	415	Chas. Wentworth, surety bonds, town clerk,	5 00
Oct. 20,	438	Association N. H. Assessors, town dues,	2 00
1922			
Jan. 31,	487	Emery Record Preserving Co., restoring record,	25 00
31,	498	W. S. Edgerly, town treasurer, expenses,	8 50
31,	506	Vella M. Smart, tax collector, expenses,	43 30
31,	520	Charles Wentworth, town clerk, expenses,	51 22
31,	521	Vella M. Smart, tax collector, expenses,	2 50
		Total,	$398 58

Detail 3. Election and Registration.

1921			
Apr. 4,	V. 304	S. H. Craig, ballot clerk,	$3 00
4,	304	G. A. Langmaid, supervisor check list,	9 00
9,	309	W. P. Lewis, supervisor check list,	9 00
9,	310	E. T. Huddleston, ballot clerk,	3 00
15,	314	W. H. Burrows, election officer,	3 00
15,	318	D. H. Fogg, ballot clerk,	3 00
15,	319	E. D. Chesley, ballot clerk,	3 00
15,	320	A. W. Griffiths, moderator,	5 00

Apr. 15,	V. 321	C. A. Smart, supervisor check list,	$ 9 00
July 25,	386	W. S. Edgerly, supplies,	1 56
		Total,	$48 56

Detail 5. **Town Hall.**

1921

Mar. 17,	V. 297	R. M. Batchelder, labor on booths,	$12 65
Apr. 15,	314	W. H. Burrows, cleaning,	1 20
June 7,	360	S. H. Craig, lock,	2 75
		Total,	$16 60

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY.

Detail 6. **Police Department.**

1922

Jan. 31,	V. 490	M. E. Willey, deputy sheriff, services,	$20 00
31,	491	W. H. Burrows, police officer,	20 00
		Total,	$40 00

Detail 7. **Fire Department, Including Forest Fires.**

1921

Apr. 22,	V. 325	K. W. Woodward, fires, labor list,	$20 20
29,	328	J. H. Seavey, fire tools,	28 00
Oct. 21,	442	K. W. Woodward, fires, labor list,	19 25
Dec. 6,	465	K. W. Woodward, fire, labor list,	73 55
6,	467	Jas. Marston, labor, chemical truck,	1 75

1922				
Jan.	16, V.	483	McShane's Garage, chains, chemical truck,	$12 00
	16,	485	F. W. Knight, fires, labor,	5 00
	31,	507	Buffalo Chem. Fire Ext. Co., supplies,	14 00
	31,	512	F. W. Knight, fires, labor,	8 00
	31,	513	F. W. Knight, fires, labor,	13 00
			Total,	$194 75

Detail 8. Pine Blister Rust Extermination.

1921				
Apr.	15, V.	313	J. H. Foster, state forester, appropriation,	$150 00

Detail 10. Damage by Dogs.

1921				
Apr.	4, V.	303	W. C. O'Kane, ducks killed,	$10 00
Nov.	7,	451	H. R. Kraybill, rabbits killed,	18 00
	7,	452	J. J. Connor, sheep killed,	10 00
			Total,	$38 00

HEALTH AND SANITATION.

Detail 11. Health Department

1921				
Sept.	6, V.	408	Fred E. Jenkins, burying eels,	$ 10 00
Oct.	21,	443	Jas. S. Chamberlin, Treasurer, appropriation public health nurse,	100 00
1922				
Jan.	3,	475	A. E. Grant, supplies,	25 17
			Total,	$135 17

Detail 12. Vital Statistics.

1922				
Jan.	3,	V. 476	A. E. Grant, services,	$4 25

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Detail 14. State Aid Maintenance.

1921				
Apr.	4,	V. 300	H. S. Tuttle, pay roll weeks ending March 12, 19, 26,	$ 85 56
	15,	316	H. S. Tuttle, pay roll weeks ending April 2, 9,	70 00
May	3,	332	H. S. Tuttle, pay roll week ending April 23,	31 90
	16,	340	H. S. Tuttle, pay roll week ending May 7,	31 90
	19,	344	S. H. Craig, pay roll week ending May 14,	164 25
	25,	345	H. S. Tuttle, pay roll week ending May 14,	38 90
	27,	347	S. H. Craig, pay roll week ending May 21,	90 00
June	6,	352	S. H. Craig, pay roll week ending May 28,	160 75
	6,	353	H. S. Tuttle, pay roll week ending May 28,	36 56
	13,	362	S. H. Craig, pay roll week ending June 4,	175 05
	13,	363	F. H. Gray, pay roll weeks ending June 4, 11,	95 70
	20,	364	H. S. Tuttle, pay roll weeks ending June 4, 11,	84 00
	20,	365	S. H. Craig, pay roll week ending June 11,	66 00
	20,	366	F. H. Gray, pay roll week ending June 11,	19 20

June	25,	V. 367	S. H. Craig, pay roll week ending June 18,	$ 69 25
	27,	370	H. S. Tuttle, pay roll week ending June 18,	42 00
July	2,	371	S. H. Craig, pay roll week ending June 24,	52 00
	8,	376	H. S. Tuttle, pay roll week ending June 25,	42 00
	11,	377	H. S. Tuttle, pay roll week ending July 2,	27 22
	25,	382	H. S. Tuttle, pay roll week ending July 9,	10 90
	25,	384	S. H. Craig, pay roll week ending July 16,	49 93
Aug.	16,	399	H. S. Tuttle, pay roll week ending Aug. 6,	42 00
	22,	401	S. H. Craig, pay roll week ending Aug. 13,	56 00
	26,	403	S. H. Craig, pay roll week ending Aug. 20,	68 11
	29,	405	H. S. Tuttle, pay roll week ending Aug. 20,	56 80
Sept.	12,	412	H. S. Tuttle, pay roll week ending Sept. 3,	42 00
	27,	422	H. S. Tuttle, pay roll week ending Sept. 17,	10 90
Oct.	4,	424	H. S. Tuttle, pay roll week ending Sept. 24,	14 00
	17,	433	H. S. Tuttle, pay roll week ending Oct. 1,	17 90
	21,	439	H. S. Tuttle, pay roll week ending Oct. 8,	35 78
	31,	445	The Barrett Co., tarvia,	200 00
Nov.	7,	453	H. S. Tuttle, pay roll weeks ending Oct. 15, 22,	38 90

Nov. 18,	V. 458	H. S. Tuttle, pay roll weeks ending Oct. 29, Nov. 5,	$31 12
Dec. 6,	466	H. S. Tuttle, pay roll week ending Nov. 26,	27 22
		Total,	$2,083 80

Detail 15. Unimproved Trunk Line Maintenance.

1921			
Apr. 25,	V. 326	H. S. Tuttle, pay roll week ending April 16,	$38 90
29,	329	S. H. Craig, pay roll week ending April 23,	129 50
May 7,	334	S. H. Craig, pay roll week ending April 30,	64 50
12,	339	H. S. Tuttle, pay roll week ending April 30,	7 00
19,	343	S. H. Craig, pay roll week ending May 7,	178 50
19,	344	S. H. Craig, pay roll week ending May 14,	81 25
June 1,	351	H. S. Tuttle, pay roll week ending May 21,	14 00
July 25,	381	H. S. Tuttle, pay roll week ending July 16,	23 34
Aug. 8,	394	H. S. Tuttle, pay roll week ending July 30,	42 00
22,	400	H. S. Tuttle, pay roll week ending Aug. 13,	42 00
Sept. 8,	411	H. S. Tuttle, pay roll week ending Aug. 27,	42 00
24,	418	H. S. Tuttle, pay roll week ending Sept. 10,	24 90
		Total,	$687 89

Detail 16a. Town Maintenance—Snow Bills.

1921				
Mar.	17,	V. 291	Jas. J. Connor, breaking roads,	$ 1 80
	17,	292	Joe Dorim, breaking roads,	4 50
	17,	294	H. S. Tuttle, breaking roads,	7 12
Dec.	6,	466	H. S. Tuttle, breaking roads,	8 56
	6,	467	James Marston, breaking roads,	7 50
1922				
Jan.	3,	471	F. P. Morrison, breaking walks, etc.,	61 50
	3,	473	Forrest H. Smart, breaking roads,	7 00
	31,	488	H. S. Parker, repairs, snow plow,	6 35
	31,	489	F. P. Morrison, breaking roads,	27 00
	31,	493	H. S. Tuttle, breaking roads,	17 90
	31,	494	W. R. Brown, breaking roads,	6 70
	31,	499	H. E. Canney, breaking roads,	5 70
	31,	500	A. C. Willey, breaking roads,	6 50
	31,	501	Vanna Niemi, breaking roads,	3 85
	31,	502	T. W. Phair, breaking roads,	15 80
	31,	503	S. H. Fogg, breaking roads,	27 20

Jan.	31,	V. 504	S. P. Chesley, pay roll, breaking roads,	$18 80
	31,	508	S. H. Craig, pay roll, breaking roads,	32 40
	31,	509	Jas. J. Connor, breaking roads,	4 00
	31,	515	E. D. Chesley, breaking roads,	18 00
	31,	517	L. M. Jones, breaking roads,	12 00
			Total,	$300 18

Detail 16b. Town Maintenance.

1921				
Mar.	17,	V. 291	J. J. Connor, labor,	$ 8 00
	17,	293	E. A. Prescott, repairs for tractor,	16 45
	17,	295	H. S. Tuttle, labor,	17 60
Apr.	4,	301	Mrs. E. G. Pendergast, gravel,	2 40
	4,	302	F. S. Evans, labor, Lee Hook road,	21 00
	9,	312	Friend Pinkham, labor,	2 00
	15,	317	E. J. York, lime,	6 50
	18,	323	S. H. Craig, pay roll week ending April 16,	30 00
	18,	324	E. D. Chesley, pay roll week ending April 16,	30 00
	29,	330	S. H. Craig, pay roll weeks ending April 23, 30,	231 00
May	7,	335	S. H. Craig, pay roll week ending May 7,	77 50
	12,	337	Lewis A. Walker, labor on roads, 1920,	150 75

May	12,	V. 338	H. W. Loveren, repairs for tractor,	$18 50
	19,	342	Kidder Press Co., castings for tractor,	39 56
	27,	348	S. H. Craig, pay roll week ending May 21,	148 50
	27,	349	Charles Wentworth, insurance,	93 80
June	6,	352	S. H. Craig, pay roll week ending May 28,	37 00
	6,	354	E. S. Colprit, gravel,	25 35
	7,	356	Standard Oil Co., supplies,	87 10
	7,	358	Littlefield, Frary & Co., supplies,	3 11
	7,	359	E. J. York, lumber,	45 82
	7,	360	S. H. Craig, scythe and tractor repairs,	9 26
	13,	362	S. H. Craig, pay roll week ending June 4,	76 50
	20,	365	S. H. Craig, pay roll week ending June 11,	132 25
	25,	367	S. H. Craig, pay roll week ending June 18,	144 75
	25,	368	Waldo Bros. & Bond Co., belt for tractor,	24 21
	25,	369	H. E. Canney, labor,	8 07
July	2,	371	S. H. Craig, pay roll week ending June 24,	249 50
	5,	372	Standard Oil Co., supplies,	76 03
	5,	373	Chas. Wentworth, freight on tarvia,	9 80
	5,	374	New Hampshire College, supplies,	1 40
	5,	375	J. H. Seavey, supplies,	59 00

July	11, V.	378	S. H. Craig, pay roll weeks ending July 2, 9,	$137 25
	25,	381	H. S. Tuttle, gravel,	1 50
	25,	383	H. E. Jones, labor on tractor,	7 86
	25,	384	S. H. Craig, pay roll week ending July 16,	42 70
	25,	385	S. H. Craig, pay roll week ending July 23,	102 35
	25,	386	W. S. Edgerly, supplies,	75 11
	25,	387	E. J. York, Akron pipe,	10 40
Aug.	2,	389	Standard Oil Co., supplies,	22 50
	2,	390	R. M. Batchelder, signs,	3 50
	2,	392	E. A. Prescott, oil, etc.,	48 75
	2,	393	S. H. Craig, pay roll week ending July 30,	78 50
	15,	396	B. & M. Railroad, freight on tarvia,	13 36
	15,	397	S. H. Craig, pay roll week ending Aug. 6,	46 63
	26,	402	The Barrett Co., tarvia,	54 72
	26,	403	S. H. Craig, pay roll week ending Aug. 20,	36 50
Sept.	6,	406	S. H. Craig, pay roll week ending Aug. 27,	111 00
	6,	409	Standard Oil Co., supplies,	41 25
	12,	413	S. H. Craig, pay roll week ending Sept. 3,	23 36
	27,	420	E. J. York, lumber, pipe, etc.,	15 83
	27,	421	J. H. Seavey, chain,	3 74
Oct.	4,	426	B. & M. Railroad, freight on tarvia,	14 47
	4,	427	Sinclair Garage, supplies for truck,	3 55

Oct.	10,	V. 431	S. H. Craig, pay roll week ending Oct. 8,	$155 50
	17,	432	S. H. Craig, pay roll week ending Oct. 15,	31 00
	20,	434	American La France Co., supplies,	1 06
	20,	435	Newfields Iron Foundry, catch basin covers,	19 20
	20,	437	The Barrett Co., tarvia,	72 54
	21,	440	Standard Oil Co., supplies,	52 50
	26,	444	J. W. Howe, signs,	28 00
Nov.	1,	447	Fred E. Jenkins, signs,	7 50
	1,	448	S. H. Craig, pay roll, gravel, clay, etc.,	91 50
	1,	449	S. H. Craig, pay roll week ending Oct. 22,	60 27
	7,	453	H. S. Tuttle, labor and gravel,	14 90
	7,	454	E. J. York, cement, etc.,	6 65
	7,	455	Standard Oil Co., supplies,	22 80
Dec.	2,	462	Melvin Crouse, repairs, drags and tractor,	47 85
	6,	466	H. S. Tuttle, labor,	1 25
1922				
Jan.	3,	472	George Langmaid, labor,	6 00
	3,	474	J. H. Stevens, clay and gravel,	2 80
	3,	476	A. E. Grant, supplies,	3 80
	3,	477	W. S. Edgerly, supplies,	23 08
	3,	478	H. S. Tuttle, labor,	9 34
	16,	482	N. H. Book Store, supplies,	1 25
	16,	484	E. A. Prescott, repairs on truck,	11 05
	31,	486	Standard Oil Co., supplies,	8 75

Jan. 31,	492	Chas. Wentworth, insurance,	$ 16 00
31,	516	W. A. Maillard, labor,	12 00
		Total,	$3,484 76

Detail 17. **Street Lighting.**

1921		To Rockingham Co. L. & P. Co.	
Mar. 17,	V. 296	Lights for January and February,	$147 44
Apr. 15,	315	Lights for March,	73 72
May 16,	341	Lights for April,	90 13
June 7,	357	Lights for May,	99 62
July 12,	379	Lights for June,	99 62
Aug. 15,	395	Lights for July,	99 62
Sept. 13,	416	Lights for August,	99 62
Oct. 20,	436	Lights for September,	99 62
Nov. 18,	457	Lights for October,	99 62
Dec. 6,	469	Lights for November,	99 62
1922			
Jan. 16,	481	Lights for December,	99 62
		Total,	$1,108 25

EDUCATION.

Detail 19. **Libraries.**

1921			
Aug. 26,	V. 404	New Hampshire Library, 1921 appropriation,	$100 00

PATRIOTIC PURPOSES.

Detail 22. **Soldiers' Memorial.**

1921			
Oct. 21,	V. 441	S. H. Craig, treasurer, balance Memorial tablet,	$7 00

Detail 23. Soldiers' Aid.

1921			
Nov. 1,	V. 446	C. I. Smart, coal,	$31 43

MISCELLANEOUS.

Detail 30. Abatements.

1921			
May 27,	V. 350	Vella M. Smart, tax collector, abatements,	$33 23
Aug. 15,	398	Vella M. Smart, tax collector, abatements,	32 21
Sept. 12,	414	Vella M. Smart, tax collector, abatements,	13 80
1922			
Jan. 31,	519	Vella M. Smart, tax collector, abatements,	17 20
		Total,	$96 44

Detail 31. Refunds.

1921			
June 6,	V. 355	Charles Wentworth, town clerk, issuing auto permits,	$19 50
Aug. 2,	391	Charles Wentworth, town clerk, issuing auto permits,	5 00
Dec. 6,	464	Geo. Ffrost Tem. Ass'n, 1920 balance,	227 50
1922			
Jan 31,	520	Charles Wentworth, town clerk, issuing auto permits,	1 25
		Total,	$253 25

INTEREST.

Detail 32.		Temporary Loans.	
1921			
Dec. 2,	V. 463	Strafford National Bank,	$146 61
Detail 33.		Long Term Notes.	
Apr. 7,	V. 307	Newmarket National Bank, Rye vs. Town,	$ 62 50
May 6,	333	Newmarket National Bank, Rye vs. Town,	35 00
Oct. 6,	429	Newmarket National Bank, Rye vs. Town,	37 50
Nov. 1,	450	Newmarket National Bank, Rye vs. Town,	35 00
1922			
Jan. 3,	479	Strafford National Bank, purchase of truck,	158 79
			$328 79

HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION AND IMPROVEMENTS.

Detail 36.		State Aid Construction.	
1921			
Aug. 15,	V. 397	S. H. Craig, pay roll week ending Aug. 6,	$ 51 50
26,	403	S. H. Craig, pay roll week ending Aug. 20,	74 28
Sept. 6,	406	S. H. Craig, pay roll week ending Aug. 27,	31 00
6,	410	E. J. York, cement,	120 55
12,	413	S. H. Craig, pay roll week ending Sept. 3,	99 25
24,	419	S. H. Craig, pay roll week ending Sept. 10,	107 75

Sept. 28,	V. 423	S. H. Craig, pay roll week ending Sept. 17,	$161 10
Oct. 4.	425	S. H. Craig, pay roll week ending Sept. 24,	181 50
17,	432	S. H. Craig, pay roll weeks ending Oct. 1, 15,	176 25
31,	445	The Barrett Co., tarvia,	600 00
		Total,	$1,603 18

Detail 42. **New Equipment.**

1921			
May 2,	V. 331	A. W. Horton, White truck,	$3,700 00
Dec. 9,	470	Buffalo Chem. Fire Ext. Co., ½ cost fire truck,	1,400 00
		Total,	$5,100 00

INDEBTEDNESS PAYMENTS.

Detail 44. **Temporary Loans.**

1921			
Dec. 2,	V. 463	Strafford National Bank,	$4,000 00
1922			
Jan. 3,	479	Strafford National Bank,	1,200 00
		Total,	$5,200 00

Detail **Long Term Notes.**

1921			
Oct. 6,	V. 428	Newmarket National Bank, note 1, Rye vs. Town,	$1,000 00

PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS.

Detail 50-51. **State and County Taxes.**

1921			
Nov. 30,	V. 460	F. N. French, county treasurer, county tax,	$1,858 31
Dec. 2,	461	J. W. Plummer, state treasurer, state tax,	3,719 50
1922			
Jan. 31,	518	J. W. Plummer, state treasurer, 487 polls, soldiers' bonus,	974 00
		Total,	$6,551 81

Detail 53. **Schools.**

1921			
Apr. 4,	V. 299	W. S. Edgerly, 1920-21 tax,	$ 600 00
7,	308	W. S. Edgerly, 1920-21 tax,	700 00
16,	322	W. S. Edgerly, 1920-21 tax,	200 00
June 9,	361	W. S. Edgerly, 1920-21 tax,	1,500 00
July 16,	380	W. S. Edgerly, 1920-21 tax,	809 00
26,	388	W. S. Edgerly, 1920-21 tax,	5 09
			$3,814 09
Sept. 6,	V. 407	W. S. Edgerly, 1921-22 tax,	$ 500 00
16,	417	W. S. Edgerly, 1921-22 tax,	200 00
Oct. 10,	430	W. S. Edgerly, 1921-22 tax,	1,006 16
Nov. 7,	456	W. S. Edgerly, 1921-22 tax,	1,000 00
19,	459	W. S. Edgerly, 1921-22 tax,	1,000 00
Dec. 6,	468	W. S. Edgerly, 1921-22 tax,	1,000 00

1922				
Jan.	10,	480	W. S. Edgerly, 1921-22 tax,	$1,000 00
	31,	505	W. S. Edgerly, 1921-22 tax,	1,000 00
	31,	514	W. S. Edgerly, 1921-22 tax,	2,000 00
				$8,706 16
			Total,	$12,520 25

GEO. FFROST TEMPERANCE ASSOCIATION.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE ASSOCIATION

From February 15, 1921, to February 15, 1922.

Receipts.

Association treasury Feb. 15, 1921,	$ 3 23	
Drew from bank,	40 00	
Received of trust fund trustees,	70 00	
Received from membership fees,	18 00	
		$131 23

Expenditures.

Benefits to members,	$131 00	
Amount in treasury Feb. 15, 1922,	23	
		$131 23

GEORGE D. STEVENS,
Treasurer.

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF DURHAM, JAN. 31, 1922

Trust Funds Purpose of Creation	How Invested	Am't of Principal	Bal. Income at Begi'ing of Year	Income During Year	Expe'ded During Year	Bal. Income at End of Year
Mary A. Burnham, care of cemetery	Strafford Savings Bank	$ 100	$ 13 27	4 52		17 79
Olinthus Doe, care of cemetery and Doe Farm, also Durham School District	Doe Farm, principal $4,000, purchased 4550 Lib. 4¼,1938 at $3,998.56. Balance $1.44					
	Strafford Savings Bank	4,000	53	152 25	152 25	
George W. Furness, care of cemetery	Strafford Savings Bank	100	4 03	4 10	2 00	6 19
George Ffrost Temperence Association, to organize	13 shares B. & A. R. R. stock	1,638		100 76	150 00	
Sarah E. Griffiths, care of cemetery	Strafford Savings Bank	300	270 80	22 80		293 60
Ella K. and Alice Hayes, care of cemetery	Strafford Savings Bank	100	27 11	5 10		32 21
Abbie Mathes, care of cemetery	Strafford Savings Bank	300	66 46	14 64	2 00	79 10
Lydia Simpson, care of cemetery	Strafford Savings Bank	100	1 50	4 05	4 00	1 55
Olive Wiggin, care of cemetery	Strafford Savings Bank	100	42 02	5 70	4 00	43 72
Susan R. Wilson, care of cemetery	Strafford Savings Bank	100	4 03	4 16	2 00	6 19
Anna M. Woodman, care of cemetery	Strafford Savings Bank	300	32 31	13 28	10 00	35 59
Moses G. Woodman, care of cemetery	Strafford Savings Bank	100	11 05	4 33	4 00	11 38

Note: Doe Fund, Jan. 31, 1921, on hand, Strafford Savings Bank,	$4,000 00
April 20, 1921, 4,550.00 4¼ 1938 Liberty Bonds,	3,998 56
Balance principal in bank,	$1 44
Gift,	53
	$1 97

Note: George Ffrost Temperance Association Fund.

1. Principal on hand, 13 shares Boston & Albany stock.
2. 1 Liberty Bond, 1923, par $100.00.
3. Strafford Savings Bank, A 9530, balance, $985.97.

Items 2 and 3 are claimed by the Association to be income and no part of principal. The excess of income expended over income received drawn from Savings Bank. The B. & A. dividends and interest on bond being deposited in said account.

F. W. Taylor,
C. H. Pettee,
Lynde Sullivan,
Trustees.

Jan. 31, 1922.

NEW HAMPSHIRE HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

Concord, N. H., November 1, 1921.

Received from the Selectmen of the Town of Durham, on deposit for safe keeping, the following volumes of Durham town records:

Town records, 1732-38, 1739-1808, 1809-20, 1820-41, 1842-64, 1865-88. 6 vols.

Tax inventories, 1788, 1789, 1790, 1795, 1796, 1798, 1805, 1815-23, 1824-32, 1835-50, 1838-45, 1844-48, 1846-54, 1849-64, 1855-66, 1865-73, 1867-69, 1874-80. 18 vols.

Highway tax books, 1803-08, 1809-20, 1810-16, 1821-26, 1827-34, 1852-87. 6 vols.

Selectmen's accounts, 1784-1821, 1822-44, 1845-77. 3 vols.

Non-resident tax list, 1816-20. 1 vol.

Vital records, 1780-1850, 1850-59. 2 vols.

Pauper and wharf records, 1813-1846. 1 vol.

School records, 1828-38. 1 vol.

Contracts and wharfs, 1847-98. 1 vol.

Board of Education accounts, 1886-1909. 1 vol.

School Dist. No. 1, 1837, 1846-63, 1860-85. 3 vols.

School Dist. No. 2, 1853-84. 1 vol.

School Dist. No. 3, 1838-65. 1 vol.

School Dist. No. 4, 1844-62, 1862-85. 2 vols.

School Dist. No. 5, 1857-85. 1 vol.

School Dist. No. 7, 1867-84. 1 vol.

School Dist. No. 10, 1846-74, 1875-84. 2 vols.

Mortgages, 1832-38, 1838-50, 1851-73, 1874-95. 4 vols.

Rum records, 1796-1849. 1 vol.

Strays and roads, 1793-1869. 1 vol.

Pauper contracts, 1798. 1 vol.
Dog tax, 1865-76. 1 vol.
Durham Temperance Society, 1829-44. 1 vol.
Ministerial subscription, 1833-36. 1 vol.
Highway tax accounts, 1818-31. 1 vol.
Enrollment, 1862-85, 1870-76. 2 vols.

OTIS G. HAMMOND,
Superintendent.

AUDITORS' REPORT.

This is to certify that we have examined the books of the Town Treasurer and a condensed statement of the same is as follows:

Balance on hand Feb. 1, 1921,	$ 1,155 57
Received from all sources,	42,575 58
Total,	$43,731 15
Paid out on selectmen's orders,	42,258 55
Balance on hand Jan. 31, 1922,	$1,472 60

We further certify that we have examined the books and vouchers of the Board of Selectmen, and the accounts of the Town Clerk and the Trustees of Trust Funds, and have found them correct.

RALPH D. PAINE,
HORACE L. HOWES,
Auditors.

This is to certify that we have examined the books and vouchers of the School District Treasurer and the School Board for the year ending Aug. 31, 1921, and have found them correct.

RALPH D. PAINE,
HORACE L. HOWES,
Auditors.

REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN.

February 1, 1922.

To the Town Clerk:

The following report of the Hamilton Smith Library is submitted for the year ending January 31, 1922.

Again we may point to increased use of the library and its books both within and without the library building, the figures for which are given below. We have class-room libraries in each school-room in the town of Durham, including the schools at Durham Point and Packers Falls. In the past two months there has been a home circulation of 312 books from the libraries in the village school alone. One of our greatest needs is for adequate funds to purchase new juvenile books and supplementary readers for these class-room libraries.

The one hundred dollars appropriated by the town has been spent for 88 volumes, including fiction, biography, travel and juveniles. It is worthy of note that we purchased two copies each of "Main Street," by Sinclair Lewis, and "If Winter Comes," by Hutchinson, and that there is still a waiting list for these volumes.

Commencing with September 1st of 1921 we established a reserve card system by which anyone may have any book in the library, fiction or non-fiction, reserved for him or her if the book is out at the time of application, by paying one cent for the postal card notice to be sent to the applicant on the return of the book to the library. This insures securing the desired book in order of application.

From the Simpson legacy of the Durham Library Association we received 89 books purchased for $127.85

this being the smallest number from that source in several years. On November 1st, 1921, we also received $100 from the general funds of the Durham Library Association, of which we have spent $50 for 27 volumes, leaving a balance on hand of $50.

The regular Saturday morning story hour for the children of Durham has been continued as during the former year. Since the first of September the Department of Education of the College has co-operated in the work by furnishing the story-tellers. The regular program was varied last summer with music and games and on other occasions since then games have been interspersed with the stories.

The following figures indicate the additions to the library and the circulation for the year ending January 31, 1922:

Accessions.

Total books Jan. 31, 1921,	41,862
(42,799 reported in error)	
Books added—College,	1,679
Experiment Station,	216
Durham Library Association,	119
Durham Public Library,	93
Total,	43,969
Books discarded,	6
Total books Feb. 1, 1922,	43,963

Circulation.

Library use (including reserved books):	
1921-22,	22,664
1920-21,	18,879
Increase,	3,785

Home use:	
1921-22,	18,065
1920-21,	17,426
Increase,	639

Respectfully submitted,

WILLARD P. LEWIS,
Librarian.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

To the Inhabitants of the School District of Durham qualified to vote in District affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said District, on Saturday, the eighteenth day of March, A. D. 1922, at two o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the ensuing year;

2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year;

3. To choose a member of the School Board for the ensuing three years;

4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year;

5. To see if the Town will vote to make any alterations in the report of the School Board recommending the amount of money required for support of schools and statutory obligations and vote necessary money to carry out its provisions;

6. To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $222.25 for equipment furnished the Junior High from other funds;

7. To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for transportation of the Batchelder children to the Junior High school;

8. To choose such auditors, agents and committees as the voters may deem necessary for the management of District affairs;

9. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hand and seal this twenty-seventh day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two.

GERTRUDE EMERSON,
CHARLES WENTWORTH,
LYMAN J. BATCHELDER,
School Board of Durham.

A true copy—ATTEST:

GERTRUDE EMERSON,
CHARLES WENTWORTH,
LYMAN J. BATCHELDER,
School Board of Durham.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

February 1, 1922.

To the Board of Education:

Four weeks in the field as superintendent has allowed time for only a brief survey of the conditions and needs of the schools.

Condition of the Schools.

So far as I can judge at this time, I find that the schools have been well provided for and well conducted this year. The work done is a credit to the town of Durham and would be a credit to any town or city. Ideals of study, industry, right living and good citizenship are being fostered in the minds of the boys and girls. A fine spirit prevails in the village school. The boys and girls are worthy of the best the town can provide in the way of educational opportunities.

Enrichment of Courses.

To make education worth while is the leading tendency. Useless studies are being done away with. And even in the fundamental subjects like Arithmetic and English, obsolete and impractical topics are being eliminated. Pupils and parents want knowledge and training from the schools that is of some use now and hereafter. Along this line our high school should have more pupils taking commercial subjects. More courses should be offered. Manual training, which is universally accepted as a most valuable form of training

both for the high school and for the upper grades, is only just begun in our high school. In this subject there should be more pupils, more equipment and longer courses.

Lines of Progress.

Some of the other lines along which we are working for improvement are better equipment for primary work, more reading and more reading material for the lower grades, helps for teachers and teachers' meetings for conference and instruction. The junior high school has become too large for two teachers, especially if additional courses are put in the program. Instead of nine classes a day for two teachers the program should provide six or seven a day for three teachers. As the approach to the school is used daily by one hundred thirty citizens, I hope you can persuade the town to provide a way of approach that is not impassable in wet weather.

Permanent Teachers.

To have good schools a town has to buy and pay for good instructional ability. Up to a certain limit a teacher is worth more to a town every year that she teaches. To reach the mind of a child so as to mould and develop it, the teacher should know the child and its parents, should know the home life and the community, should understand the problems of her school, and should be familar with the progress the pupils had made in their studies. All this valuable knowledge, all the growth from supervision, all the development that comes from co-operating with teachers and parents is lost if you lose the teacher. By changing teachers every year a town loses far more than it would have to pay to retain good teachers.

Attendance Record.

School	No. of Pupils	No. of Tardinesses	Per cent of Attendance
Center, I and II	28	34	86
Center, III and IV	26	14	93
Center, V and VI	25	12	95
Junior High School	51	15	96
Packers Falls	15	5	93
Durham Point	7	32	91

Perfect in attendance, 1920-1921, Albert Batchelder, Pauline Ellison, Lawrence McHale, Adeline Tecce, Hattie Magoon.

Durham is fortunate in having a corps of teachers who are working for the welfare of the pupils and in having board members who are interested in the progress of the schools. I appreciate very highly the cordial co-operation of the school board and the hearty welcome to Durham given me by the parents I have met.

Respectfully submitted,

O. R. McCoy.

REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD.

Schools closed in June fully up to standard and in a manner the board feels satisfactory to the district. For the year 1922-23 the board recommends an additional full time teacher for the Junior High and has provided for same in its proposed budget.

J. O. Wellman resigned as superintendent September 1st. Mr. J. R. Smith, substitute superintendent, filled the position until the selection of O. R. McCoy, of New London, Connecticut, who assumed the duties of the position January 1st. Mr. McCoy is a practical and able schoolman. We refer you to his report for further information regarding condition of schools at present time.

Following is list of teachers for current school year with salaries they receive:

Ruth Seaver,	Principal Junior High,	$1,450 00
Laura A. Nelson,	Assistant Junior High,	1,200 00
Alice E. Ladd,	Grades 5 and 6,	1,000 00
Addie M. Poland,	Grades 3 and 4,	900 00
Mary F. Olds,	Grades 1 and 2,	900 00
Goldena M. Kenniston,	Packers Falls,	750 00
Leola Fogg,	Point,	650 00
Ray M. Batchelder,	Manual Training, Junior High (part time),	126 00

Recommendations for 1922-1923.

	Statutory Obligation	Elementary	High
Teachers' salaries,		$5,300 00	$2,300 00
Janitors,		430 00	118 00

	Statutory Obligation	Elementary	High
Truant officer and census,		$ 20 00	
Fuel,		459 00	$65 00
Transportation,		918 00	
Tuition,		36 00	715 00
Repairs,		350 00	
Insurance,		80 00	
Books and supplies,		350 00	150 00
Flags,		15 00	
Medical inspection,		75 00	
Music,		200 00	50 00
Clerk, Supervisory Union,		35 00	
Per pupil tax,	$336 00		
Superintendent's salary,	300 00		
District officer's salary,	125 00		
	$761 00	$8,268 00	$3,398 00

Statutory obligations, $761.00.
High School, $3,398.00.

Elementary Schools, estimate of $5.00 tax on equalized valuation,	$5,665 79
From State,	2,379 33
Total,	$8,045 12

To be raised in district meeting in excess of $5.00 tax, $222.88.

Respectfully submitted,

GERTRUDE EMERSON,
CHARLES WENTWORTH,
LYMAN J. BATCHELDER,
School Board of Durham.

REPORT OF TREASURER OF THE DURHAM SCHOOL DISTRICT

For the Year ending August 31, 1921.

AVAILABLE SCHOOL MONEY.

Cash on hand,	$ 301 37	
Received from Town Treasurer,	8,414 09	
Received from State Treasurer,	3,019 91	
Received from State Treasurer, tuition rebate,	153 00	
Received from Lee, tuition,	125 00	
Received from sale of schoolhouse,	60 00	
Received from Doe fund,	173 00	
		$12,246 37
Paid out on School Board's orders,		11,842 54
Cash on hand,		$403 83

WALTER S. EDGERLY,

Treasurer.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE DURHAM SCHOOL DISTRICT

For the Fiscal Year Beginning Sept. 1, 1920, and Ending June 30, 1921.

Receipts.

From State:		
High school tuition rebate, (December, 1920),		$ 153 00
Equalization, (State aid),		3019 91
Total amount received from State,		$3,172 91
From the Selectmen Raised by Taxation:		
(a)	For the support of elementary schools,	$4,415 09
(b)	For the support of high school,	1,785 00
(j)	High school and academy tuition,	700 00
(k)	Salaries of district officers,	125 00
(l)	Superintendent's excess salary,	165 00
(n)	District debt,	500 00
(p)	Repairs and remodeling,	300 00
(q)	Buildings, sites and new furniture, fence,	100 00
(r)	Per capita tax,	324 00
Total amount received from taxation,		$8,414 09
From Sources Other Than Taxation:		
(b)	Elementary school tuitions,	$56 50
(c)	High school tuitions,	68 50
(d)	Income from local trust funds, Doe bequest,	173 00

(i)	Sale of property, Mast road school house,	$ 60 00
	Total amount received from sources other than taxation,	$358 00
	Total receipts from all sources,	$11,945 00
	Total cash on hand Sept. 1, 1920,	301 37
	Grand total,	$12,246 37

Payments.

		Total Expenditures	Dist. of Expenditures High	Dist. of Expenditures Elementary
Administration:				
1	Salaries of district officers, (1, 3)	$128 70		
2	Superintendent's excess salary, (5)	150 00		
3	Truant officers and school census, (6),	20 00		
4	Expenses of administration, (2, 7)	40 00		
Instruction:				
5a	Principals' and teachers' salaries (day schools),	6,705 11	$1,500 00	$5,205 11
6	Text books, (10)	413 33	150 00	543 84
7	Scholars' supplies, (12)	280 51		
9	Other expenses of instruction, (11, 14, 15)	4 56		4 56
Operation and Maintenance of School Plant:				
10	Janitor service, (16,17)	520 00	80 00	440 00
11	Fuel, (18)	686 27	55 00	631 27

	Total Expenditures	Dist. of Expenditures High	Elementary
12 Water, light and janitors' supplies, (19, 20, 21, 22)	$91 65		$91 65
13 Minor Repairs and Expenses, (23, 24, 25)	205 14		205 14
Auxiliary Agencies and Special Activities:			
14 Medical inspection, (27)	42 00		42 00
15 Transportation of pupils, (28)	520 25		520 25
16 High school and academy tuition, (30)	683 00	$683 00	
18 Other special activities, (26, 29, 32) Music,	250 00		250 00
Fixed Charges:			
19 Insurance, (33)	112 00		
Outlay for construction and Equipment:			
23 New equipment, (39, 40, 41)	185 00		
Debt, Interest and Other Charges:			
24 Payment of principal of debt,	500 00		
25 Payment of interest on debt,	25 75		
26 Tax for state-wide supervision, ($2.00 per capita)	300 00		

		Total Expenditures	Dist. of Expenditures High	Elementary
P. & Q. unexpended before June 30,		$ 400 00		
Total payments for all purposes,		$12,263 27		
Overdrawn,		16 90		
Grand total,		$12,246 37	$2,468 00	$7,933 82

Assets, June 30, 1921.		Liabilities, June 30, 1921.	
Special appropriations:		Overdrawn	$16 90
Repair fence,	$100 00		
Remodel school house,	300 00		
Unexpended June 30'21.			
Total assets,	$400 00	Total liabilities,	$16 90
		Excess of assets over liabilities,	383 10
Grand total,	$400 00	Grand total,	$400 00

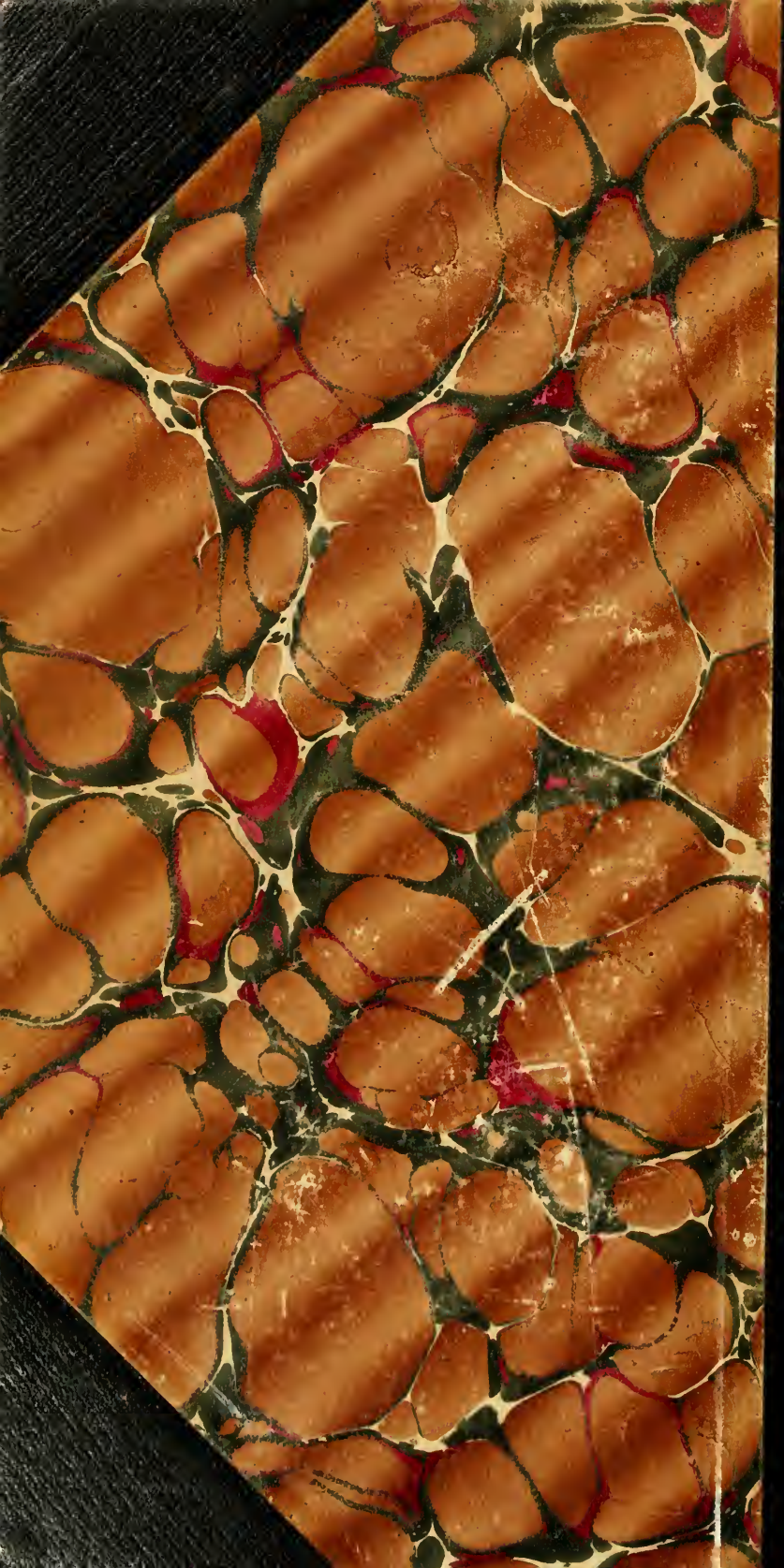
BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF DURHAM, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1921.

1921 Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of Child	No. of Child	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Mar. 3....	Durham, N. H.....	Franklin J. Palmer.....	2	Fred Palmer	Bertha S. Palmer.....
May 22....	Durham, N. H.....	Mary Louise Baillargeon	2	Calixte Baillargeon.....	Georgiana Boucher .....
June 3....	Durham, N. H.....	Monroe B. Belanger.....	2	——	Rosa Belanger .....
July 18....	Durham, N. H.....	Lillian F. Kerr.....	1	William Atkinson	Jessie M. Kerr.....
Sept. 21....	Durham, N. H.....	Oliver C. Magoon	9	Iver Magoon.....	Alice B. Cragin.....
Oct. 19....	Durham, N. H.....	John R. Hardy.....	4	Robert H. Hardy.....	Bertha Moore. .....
Oct. 27....	Durham, N. H.....	Thomas N. Sorensen.....	2	Charles T. Sorensen.....	Manila D. Kerr.....
Nov. 7....	Durham, N. H.....	Rita Minichiello	1	Albert Minichiello.....	Angelina Schona.....
Dec. 13....	Durham, N. H.....	Elmira Cohn.....	2	Harvey Cohn	Frances Barter .....
Dec. 13....	Durham, N. H.....	Walter R. Cohn.....	3	Harvey Cohn	Frances Barter.....
1920					
May 29....	*Durham, N. H.....	Florence M. Burrows.....	7	William Burrows	Ethel Stevens .....

*Omitted from 1920 report.

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF DURHAM, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1921.

1921 Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of Each	Age	Place of Birth	By Whom Married
April 2....	Manchester, N. H.	George Wesley Watson....	Durham, N. H.....	24	Manchester, N. H.	Rev. Horace Williams
		Helen Gertrude Adams....	Boston, Mass.	26	Newburyport, Mass. ..	.....
May 21....	Franklin, N. H....	Preston L. Nutting.....	Durham, N. H.....	30	Loudon, N. H.	Rev. George A. Cole...
		Edith M. Deoss.....	Concord, N. H.....	30	Lyndon, Vt.....	.....
June 11....	Durham, N. H.....	Allen Denton Wassall.....	Durham, N. H.....	27	Nutley, N. J.	Rev. Robert W. Coe...
		Helen Beatrice Bartlett...	Durham, N. H.....	30	Goshen, Mass.....	.....
Aug. 29....	Claremont, N. H...	Sidney Warren Wentworth	Durham, N. H.....	27	Hollis, N. H.	Rev. Albert L. Smith..
		Bernice Read.....	Claremont, N. H.....	27	Grantham, N. H.....	.....
Oct. 3....	Durham, N. H,....	Roland Stanwood Coker..	Salem, Mass.....	22	Salem, Mass.....	Rev. Geo. A. Bennett..
		Leola Morrison Fogg.....	Durham. N. H.....	21	Durham, N. H.....	.....
Dec. 21	Manchester, N. H.	Alfred Edwin McKenney.	Durham, N. H.....	26	Bangor, Me.....	Rev. B. H. Lockhart...
		Janet Mann	Manchester, N. H.....	22	Manchester, N. H.	.....
Dec. 22....	Durham, N. H.....	Herman Eugene Nesbitt...	Lynnfield, Mass.....	25	Lynnfield, Mass.	Rev. Moses Lovell.....
		Edna Stearns Young.....	Reading, Mass	25	Reading, Mass.....	.....
Dec. 26....	Dover, N. H.	William Henry Young....	Durham, N. H.....	27	Northwood, N. H.....	Rev. Leon Morse .....
		Irene Elizabeth Davis.....	Center Barnstead, N.H	20	Bedford, N. H.....	.....

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF DURHAM, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1921.

1921 Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Age	Place of Birth	Disease or Cause of Death
Jan. 10....	Durham, N. H.....	Jeremiah Langley.....	79	Durham, N. H.....	Valvular Heart Disease.....
Jan. 31....	Durham, N. H.....	James G. Hall.....	92	Knox, Me.....	Bronchitis .....
April 28....	Durham, N. H.....	Samuel J. Jones	84	Lee, N. H.....	Cystitis .....
Sept. 15....	Durham, N. H.....	George E. Dockum	74	Durham, N. H.....	Angina Pectoris.....
Nov. 11....	Durham, N. H.....	Sarah E. Jones	75	Lee, N. H.....	Valvular Heart Disease.....
Dec. 13....	Durham, N. H.....	Elmira Cohn	Infant	Durham, N. H.....	Still Born .....
Dec. 15....	Durham, N. H.....	Walter Cohn	2 days	Durham, N. H.....	Premature Birth .....